

LAFAYETTE-ORINDA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11:00 p.m.



December 24, 2018

## We Gather

<b>Prelude</b>	The Winter Moon Joyce Lee, Karen Paik, violin; Alex Volonts, viola, Adelle-Akiko Kearns, cello Krista Strader, harp	arr. by Daniel Burton
<b>Welcome &amp; Gathering Prayer</b>		Lauren Gully
<b>Christ Candle</b>		Peter Whitelock
<b>Carol</b>	○ Come, All Ye Faithful (Hymnal #133, verses 1, 3, 4)	tune: Adeste Fideles
<b>Greeting</b>		Brett Strader

## We Hear the Christmas Story

	Comfort, Comfort Ye My People Chamber Choir	arr. Howard Helvey (b. 1968)
<b>Reading</b>	Isaiah 9:2, 6-7 Lo How a Rose E'er Blooming Chamber Choir	Peter Whitelock tune: Es ist ein' Ros'
<b>Reading</b>	Luke 2:1-20 In the Bleak Mid-Winter	Judy Clark Harold Darke (1888-1976)
<b>Reading</b>	Jessica Whitlatch, Soprano solo; David MacKenzie, Tenor solo; Chamber Choir	
	Matthew 1:18-25 Wexford Carol Chad Runyon, Baritone solo; Chamber Choir	Gerald Chinen arr. John Rutter (b. 1945)
<b>Christmas Message</b>	He Is Born Linda Groobin, Soprano solo; Chamber Choir	Lauren Gully arr. David Willcocks (1919-1925)

## Celebration of Holy Communion

<b>Invitation</b>		Lauren Gully
<b>Pastoral Prayer &amp; The Lord's Prayer</b>		Peter Whitelock by Taylor Scott Davis
	Love Came Down at Christmas Chamber Choir	

## We Respond

<b>Offering</b>	Christmas Concerto Joyce Lee, Karen Paik, Alex Volonts, Adelle-Akiko Kearns	Arcangelo Corelli (1653-1713)
<b>Carol</b>	Joy to the World (Hymnal #134, verse 1, 2, 4)	arr. Brett Strader (b. 1974)
<b>Benediction &amp; Invitation</b>		Lauren Gully
	Silent Night	tune: Stille Nacht

### **Worship Flowers**

Sanctuary flowers are given today by Elizabeth C. Johnson in memory of her husband Philip Kirk Jensen who left this life with the enormous spiritual guidance of Pastors Peter Whitelock and Gerald Chinen.

### **Floral Design Team**

Jane Ebe, Team Leader; Sherril Barber, Lassie Colebourn, Linda Giddings, Jayne Hegenbart, Pat Jeans, Suze McConnell, Clarice Odell, Penny Perry, Dorothy Pritchett, Laurie Reich, Lynne Terril

### **Advent Banner**

The Advent quilt on the front wall was commissioned by the Worship Team to enhance the worship experience of the season. Titled as "The Journey", it was designed and created by Ann Loar.

### **Hospitality Team**

Alan Saxton, Susan Couch

### **Worship & Music Team**

Peter Whitelock, Pastor/Head of Staff  
Gerald Chinen, Pastor, Care; Lauren Gully, Pastor, Mission & Formation; Jaime Polson, Pastor, Families  
Brett Strader, Director of Worship and Music  
Stewart Scharch, Organist; Michael Morales, Worship and Music Assistant  
Chamber Choir: Brandt Andersson, Jody Black, Judy Clark, Linda Groobin,  
David MacKenzie, Michael Morales, Chad Runyon, Jessica Whitlatch  
Joyce Lee, Karen Paik, violin; Alex Volonts, viola; Adelle-Akiko Kearns, cello; Krista Strader, harp  
Devin Crane, Sound Technician  
Hiroko Shibuya, Worship and Music Coordinator  
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We worship together at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

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